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REMARKS

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1. The following troop trains from Rathenow-Nord to Altengrabow

between 15 and 19 May 1952:

Date in MayComposition of
the Troop Trains

15

32 boxcars and
14 flatcars11 boxcars and
29 flatcars

16

12 boxcars and
16 flatcars15 boxcars and
22 flatcars

17

14 boxcars and
27 flatcars13 boxcars and
17 flatcars

18

9 boxcars and
25 flatcars

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11 boxcars and
18 flatcars

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2. Troop trains

between 30 May and 1 June included:

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<u>Date</u>	<u>Composition of the Troop Trains</u>	<u>From</u>	<u>To</u>
30 May	39 boxcars and 18 flatcars	Wildpark	Zossen
	28 boxcars and 10 flatcars	Wuensdorf	Potsdam
31 May	20 boxcars and 2 flatcars	Luckenwalde	Wildpark
	35 boxcars and 5 flatcars	Wuensdorf	Potsdam
	9 boxcars and 22 flatcars	Jueterbog- Altes Lager	Templin
	30 boxcars and 7 flatcars	Wuensdorf	Potsdam
1 June	31 boxcars and 2 flatcars	Wuensdorf	Potsdam

3. [redacted] a troop train [redacted] of 10 converted boxcars, 1 boxcar and 45 flatcars, from Mechterstedt. [redacted] to Neubukow on 26 May; and another troop train, [redacted] of 5 converted boxcars, 1 boxcar and 20 flatcars, from Lossa, [redacted] to Neubukow on 28 May. The two trains carried troop and artillery pieces. ***

* [redacted] Comment. Compare with concurrent information [redacted]

** [redacted] Comment. For information on troop train [redacted]

[redacted] 11 troop train went from Wuensdorf to Potsdam between 27 May and 1 June 1952. [redacted]

[redacted] The troop train from Luckenwalde to Wildpark mentioned in paragraph 2 of the present report possibly carried as signal unit of the GDFG.

*** [redacted] Comment. The two troop trains mentioned in paragraph 3 probably carried AAA units which went to the Ostrow Peninsula for firing practice with live ammunition. [redacted] confirms the Hq 21st Gds Mecz Div from Halle until May 1952. [redacted] confirms the Hq 57th Gds Itz Rifle Div from Naumburg until 26 May 1952.

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